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## **International Authorizations Granted**

### **Section 214 Applications (47 C.F.R. § 63.18); Section 310(b) Requests**

The following applications have been granted pursuant to the Commission's streamlined processing procedures set forth in Section 63.12 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.12, other provisions of the Commission's rules, or procedures set forth in an earlier public notice listing applications accepted for filing.

Unless otherwise noted, these grants authorize the applicants (1) to become a facilities-based international common carrier subject to 47 C.F.R. § 63.22; and/or (2) to become a resale-based international common carrier subject to 47 C.F.R. § 63.23; or (3) to exceed the foreign ownership benchmark applicable to common carrier radio licensees under 47 U.S.C. § 310(b).

THIS PUBLIC NOTICE SERVES AS EACH NEWLY AUTHORIZED CARRIER'S SECTION 214 CERTIFICATE. It contains general and specific conditions, which are set forth below. Newly authorized carriers should carefully review the terms and conditions of their authorizations. Failure to comply with general or specific conditions of an authorization, or with other relevant Commission rules and policies, could result in fines and forfeitures.

Petitions for reconsideration under Section 1.106 or applications for review under Section 1.115 of the Commission's rules in regard to the grant of any of these applications may be filed within thirty days of this public notice (see 47 CFR § 1.4(b)(2)).

For additional information, please contact the FCC Reference and Information Center, Room CY-A257, 445 12th Street SW, Washington, D.C. 20554, (202) 418-0270.

Sprint Corporation (Sprint), on behalf of its wholly-owned, U.S. subsidiaries holding common carrier wireless licenses (Joint Petitioners), has filed a petition with the Commission for a declaratory ruling (Petition) pursuant to section 310(b)(4) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. § 310(b)(4), and section 1.990(a)(1) of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR § 1.990(a)(1), that it would not serve the public interest to prohibit more than 25 percent foreign ownership in the Joint Petitioners. The Petition is being filed in connection with a planned internal restructuring with respect to the intermediate holding companies through which Softbank Group Corp. (SoftBank) holds its majority (83.4%) controlling ownership interest in Sprint. Pursuant to the planned pro forma restructuring, SoftBank will introduce a new, wholly-owned subsidiary, SoftBank Group International GK (SoftBank Group Int'l), into Sprint's vertical chain of ownership. SoftBank Group Int'l is organized in Japan as a "godo kaisha," which is analogous to a limited liability company.

The Petition notes that the Commission reviewed and approved the current ownership structure of and foreign interests in Sprint and the Joint Petitioners in the Sprint/SoftBank Order, FCC 13-92, 28 FCC Rcd 9642 (2013) (Sprint/SoftBank Order). In particular, and subject to certain conditions, the Commission's foreign ownership ruling authorized Sprint, the controlling U.S.-organized parent of the Joint Petitioners, to be 100 percent owned by SoftBank (individually) and by SoftBank's shareholders (collectively, including Mr. Masayoshi Son). SoftBank is a publicly traded joint stock corporation organized in Japan. Mr. Son is a citizen of Japan and serves as SoftBank's Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board of Directors. Mr. Son currently holds 23.1 percent of SoftBank's equity and voting interests. Sprint certifies in the Petition that it is in compliance with the foreign ownership ruling issued in the Sprint/SoftBank Order.

Currently, Softbank holds its 83.4 percent equity and voting interest in Sprint through two wholly-owned U.S. subsidiaries: Starburst I, Inc. (Starburst I) (77.5% direct equity and voting interest in Sprint) and Galaxy Investment Holdings, Inc. (Galaxy) (5.9% direct equity and voting interest in Sprint). The remaining 16.6 percent of Sprint's outstanding stock is widely held by diverse shareholders. The Petition states, pursuant to Sections 1.991(i) and 1.991(e)-(f) of the rules, respectively, that none of these shareholders are foreign individuals or entities holding a greater than five percent equity or voting interest in Sprint, and that none of these shareholders (U.S. or foreign) hold a 10 percent or greater equity or voting interest in Sprint.

After the planned reorganization, SoftBank Group Int'l will hold an aggregate 60.5 percent indirect equity interest in Sprint through Starburst I and Galaxy, consisting of: a direct 70.4 percent equity interest in Starburst I and, in turn, an indirect 54.6 percent equity in Sprint through Starburst I ( $70.4\% \times 77.5\% = 54.6\%$ ) plus a direct 100 percent equity interest in Galaxy and, in turn, an indirect 5.9 percent equity interest in Sprint ( $54.6\% + 5.9\% = 60.5\%$ ). SoftBank will hold directly the remaining 29.6 percent equity interest in Starburst I and, thus, an indirect 22.9 percent equity interest in Sprint through Starburst I ( $29.6\% \times 77.5\% = 22.9\%$ ). Because SoftBank wholly owns SoftBank Group Int'l, SoftBank would hold an aggregate 83.4 percent indirect equity interest in Sprint ( $60.5\% + 22.9\% = 83.4\%$ ), the same level as it holds under SoftBank's current ownership structure. Mr. Son's indirect equity interest in Sprint similarly would not change from the current 19.3% amount ( $23.1\% \times 83.4\% = 19.3\%$ ).

The post-closing indirect voting interests of SoftBank Group Int'l and SoftBank would track their indirect equity interests in Sprint (i.e., 60.5% and 83.4%, respectively). The Petition explains further that, because their respective indirect voting interests in Sprint would exceed 50%, each of SoftBank Group Int'l and SoftBank would be viewed as holding a 100 percent indirect voting interest in Sprint under Sections 1.991(f) and 1.992 of the rules. As a result, Mr. Son's post-closing indirect voting interest in Sprint (held through SoftBank and its intervening holding companies) would be calculated as 23.1% ( $23.1\% \times 100\%$ ).

Sprint states that under the rules adopted in the Foreign Ownership Second Report and Order, FCC 13-50, 28 FCC Rcd 5741 (2013), 78 Fed. Reg. 41314 (July 10, 2013), Commission approval is not required for a pro forma transaction such as the transaction related to this Petition. However, because the foreign ownership ruling granted in the Sprint/SoftBank Order was issued prior to the effective date of the rules adopted in the Foreign Ownership Second Report and Order, Sprint seeks a new foreign ownership ruling pursuant to the new rules. In doing so, Sprint notes that it will continue to be subject to the terms of a National Security Agreement (NSA) entered into as a precondition to clearance of the Sprint/SoftBank transaction by the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS) (see Sprint/SoftBank Order, 28 FCC Rcd at 9693-9696, paras. 125-131). The Petition states that, once the proposed transaction closes, SoftBank Group Int'l will be automatically covered by the NSA.

In addition, pursuant to section 1.991(i) of the rules, Sprint requests that the Commission specifically approve the above-described, post-closing foreign equity and voting interests that would be held directly or indirectly in Sprint, the controlling U.S. parent of Joint Petitioners, by SoftBank Group Int'l, SoftBank Group Corp., and Mr. Masayoshi Son. Pursuant to section 1.991(k)(1) of the rules, Sprint also requests advance approval for SoftBank and SoftBank Group Int'l to increase their interests in Sprint up to and including 100 percent of Sprint's direct and/or indirect equity and/or voting interests. Pursuant to section 1.991(k)(2) of the rules, Sprint also requests advance approval for Mr. Masayoshi Son to increase his direct and/or indirect equity and/or voting interests in Sprint up to and including a non-controlling 49.99 percent.

The Petition states that the purpose of the reorganization is to separate SoftBank's global and domestic operations. It states that grant of the Petition will serve the public interest by providing greater transparency to SoftBank's shareholders, increasing efficiency in SoftBank's corporate operations, and improving SoftBank's value, which in turn will allow SoftBank to be better positioned to manage and invest in Sprint's operations over the long term.

Pursuant to the rules and policies established by the Commission's Foreign Ownership Second Report and Order, we find that the public interest would not be served by prohibiting foreign ownership of the Joint Petitioners in excess of the 25 percent benchmark in section 310(b)(4) of the Act. Specifically, this ruling permits aggregate foreign equity and voting interests in the Joint Petitioners' controlling U.S. parent company, Sprint, to exceed 25 percent of its equity and/or voting interests, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in section 1.994 of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR § 1.994, including the requirement to obtain Commission approval before its foreign ownership exceeds the terms and conditions of this ruling. In addition, this ruling specifically permits: SoftBank and SoftBank Group Int'l, individually or collectively, to increase their equity and/or voting interests, at some future time, up to and including 100 percent of the direct and/or indirect equity and/or voting interests of Sprint; and Mr. Masayoshi Son to increase his equity and/or voting interests, at some future time, up to and including a non-controlling direct and/or indirect 49.99 percent equity and/or voting interest in Sprint.

The Joint Petitioners have an affirmative duty to monitor their foreign equity and voting interests, calculate these interests consistent with the standards and criteria set forth in sections 1.992 through 1.993 of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR §§ 1.992-1.993, and otherwise ensure continuing compliance with the provisions of section 310(b) of the Act.

Grant of this declaratory ruling is without prejudice to the Commission's action on any other related pending application(s).

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**ITC-214-20160617-00173**      E      GoPro Communication, LLC

International Telecommunications Certificate

**Service(s):**      Global or Limited Global Resale Service

Grant of Authority

Date of Action:      07/15/2016

Application for authority to provide resale service in accordance with section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e)(2).

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**ITC-214-20160622-00172**      E      USTelco, LLC

International Telecommunications Certificate

**Service(s):**      Global or Limited Global Resale Service

Grant of Authority

Date of Action:      07/15/2016

Application for authority to provide resale service in accordance with section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e)(2).

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**ITC-214-20160623-00171**      E      Universal Calling Inc.

International Telecommunications Certificate

**Service(s):**      Global or Limited Global Resale Service

Grant of Authority

Date of Action:      07/15/2016

Application for authority to provide resale service in accordance with section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e)(2).

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**ITC-214-20160623-00178**      E      Miles Cooperative Telephone Association

International Telecommunications Certificate

**Service(s):**      Global or Limited Global Resale Service

Grant of Authority

Date of Action:      07/15/2016

Application for authority to provide resale service in accordance with section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e)(2).

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**ITC-214-20160629-00176**      E      Phillips County Telephone Company

International Telecommunications Certificate

**Service(s):**      Global or Limited Global Resale Service

Grant of Authority

Date of Action:      07/15/2016

Application for authority to provide resale service in accordance with section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e)(2).

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**ITC-ASG-20160426-00157**

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Everstream GLC Holding Company LLC

Assignment

Grant of Authority

Date of Action: 07/15/2016

**Current Licensee:** Great Lakes Comnet, Inc. - Debtor in Possession**FROM:** Great Lakes Comnet, Inc. - Debtor in Possession**TO:** Everstream GLC Holding Company LLC

Application filed for consent to the assignment of international section 214 authorization, ITC-214-19970116-00027, held by Great Lakes Comnet, Inc. - Debtor in Possession (Great Lakes Comnet), to Everstream GLC Holding Company LLC (Everstream GLC). On January 25, 2016, Great Lakes Comnet and its subsidiary, Comlink, LLC (Comlink), filed Voluntary Petitions for Reorganization under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. See In re Great Lakes Comnet, Inc. and Comlink, LLC, Case Nos. 16-00290 and 16-00292 (Bankruptcy Court, WD Mich). On January 29, 2016, the parties entered into an Asset Purchase Agreement, pursuant to which Everstream will acquire certain assets of Great Lakes Comnet and Comlink. The Bankruptcy Court approved the sale at a hearing on May 10, 2016.

Everstream GLC is an indirect subsidiary of Everstream Holding Company, LLC (Everstream Holding). M/C Partners VII, L.P. (M/C Partners) holds 80% of the equity of Everstream Holding. Applicants state that no person or entity owns a ten percent or greater interest in M/C Partners. The following U.S. citizens are M/C Partners members: Gillis S. Cashman; Brian M. Clark; David D. Croll; Robert Savignol; James F. Wade; and John W. Watkins.

Applicants filed a request for Special Temporary Authority (STA), ITC-STA-20160426-00158, related to this transaction, which was granted on May 26, 2016.

This authorization is without prejudice to the Commission's action in any other related pending proceedings.

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**ITC-ASG-20160630-00181**

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New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC

Assignment

Grant of Authority

Date of Action: 07/20/2016

**Current Licensee:** Centaur Acquisition Company LLC**FROM:** Centaur Acquisition Company LLC**TO:** New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC

Notification filed June 30, 2016, of the pro forma assignment of international section 214 authorization, ITC-214-20150204-00027, held by Centaur Acquisition Company LLC (Centaur) to New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC (New Cingular), effective May 31, 2016. New Cingular and Centaur were both indirect wholly owned subsidiaries of AT&T Inc. (AT&T). Pursuant to an internal reorganization, Centaur was merged into New Cingular and eliminated. New Cingular now holds, ITC-214-20150204-00027. AT&T continues to control New Cingular after the merger.

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**ITC-T/C-20150910-00220**

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Alteva Long Distance, Inc.

Transfer of Control

Grant of Authority

Date of Action: 10/23/2015

**Current Licensee:** Alteva Long Distance, Inc.**FROM:** Alteva, Inc**TO:** MBS Holdings, Inc.

Application filed for consent to the transfer of control of international section 214 authorization, ITC-214-19931022-00192, held by Alteva Long Distance, Inc. (Alteva-LD), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Alteva, Inc. (Alteva), a publicly held New York corporation, to MBS Holdings, Inc. (MBS), a Delaware corporation. Pursuant to a September 2, 2015, Agreement and Plan of Merger, Arrow Merger Subsidiary, Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of MBS Intermediate Holdings, LLC (MBS Intermediate), which in turn is a wholly-owned subsidiary of MBS, will merge with and into Alteva, with Alteva emerging as the surviving entity. Upon consummation, Alteva will become a wholly-owned direct subsidiary of MBS Intermediate, and an indirect subsidiary of MBS. Alteva-LD will remain a direct subsidiary of Alteva, and become an indirect subsidiary of MBS upon closing.

The following entities or individuals will hold ten percent or greater direct or indirect ownership interest in MBS: (1) The Estate of William W. Featheringill (Estate) will own 14.5 percent of the total preferred equity of MBS. Carolyn Featheringill, a U.S. citizen, is the Trustee of the Estate; (2) Featheringill Investment Group, LLC (Featheringill Investment), an Alabama limited liability company, will own 12.4 percent of the total preferred equity of MBS. Featheringill Investment is controlled by Carolyn Featheringill, a U.S. citizen; (3) Ramsey Management LLC (Ramsey Management), an Alabama limited liability company, will own 11.8 percent of the total preferred equity of MBS. Ramsey Management is controlled by Carolyn Featheringill, a U.S. citizen; and (4) Pharo Investment Group, LLC (Pharo), an Alabama limited liability company, will own 11.1 percent of the total preferred equity of MBS. Pharo Investment is controlled by Elizabeth Pharo, a U.S. citizen. No other entity or individual will hold a ten percent or greater direct or indirect equity or voting interest in MBS.

This authorization is without prejudice to the Commission's action in any other related pending proceedings.

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**ITC-T/C-20151221-00308**

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SatCom Global, Inc.

Transfer of Control

Grant of Authority

Date of Action: 07/20/2016

**Current Licensee:** SatCom Global, Inc.**FROM:** Broadband Satellite Services Limited**TO:** Broadband Satellite Services Limited

Notification filed December 21, 2015, of the pro forma transfer of control of international section 214 authorization, ITC-214-20000803-00478, held by SatCom Global, Inc. (SatCom Global), effective July 2, 2015. SatCom Global is wholly-owned subsidiary of SatCom Distribution, Inc., which in turn is wholly-owned by Broadband Satellite Services Ltd. (BSS), a United Kingdom company. Ian Robinson and Robert Howes, both citizens of the United Kingdom, each held a 50% ownership in BSS. On July 2, 2015, Mr. Robinson and Mr. Howes sold a 17.3% interest in BSS to BGF Investments LP (BGF), a United Kingdom based limited partnership (Business Growth Fund plc (BGF plc), a private equity firm based in England, is the general partner of BGF) and a 2.7% interest to Michael John Butler. As a result of the transaction, the ownership interests of joint owners Ian Robinson and Robert Howes was reduced to 40% each, and they no longer hold negative control of BSS. SatCom Global continues to remain an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of BSS.

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**ITC-T/C-20160613-00167**

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89Degree Networks LLC

Transfer of Control

Grant of Authority

Date of Action: 07/15/2016

**Current Licensee:** 89Degree Networks LLC**FROM:** 89Degree Networks LLC**TO:** 89Degree Networks LLC

Application filed for consent to the transfer of control of international section 214 authorization, ITC-214-20120514-00127, held by 89Degree Networks, LLC (89Degree Networks), from majority member Elaina Mangione (51%), to Robert Crinks. On December 31, 2015, without prior Commission consent, Mr. Crinks, who held a 4% membership interest in 89Degree Networks, acquired an additional 51% interest in 89Degree Networks from his wife, Ms. Mangione.

Mr. Crinks, a U.S. citizen, now holds a 55% controlling interest in 89Degrees. Valley Technologies Trust (VTT), a Wyoming Trust, holds the remaining 45 percent membership interest in 89Degree Networks. Mohamed Elagazy, a U.S. citizen, is the sole trustee and beneficiary of VTT.

Applicant filed a request for Special Temporary Authority (STA), ITC-STA-20160620-00169, related to this transaction, which was granted on June 30, 2016.

This authorization is without prejudice to the Commission's action in any other related pending proceedings.

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**ITC-T/C-20160623-00174**

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i-wireless, LLC

Transfer of Control

Grant of Authority

Date of Action: 07/15/2016

**Current Licensee:** i-wireless, LLC**FROM:** The Kroger Co.**TO:** Sprint Corporation

Application filed for consent to the transfer of control of international section 214 authorization, ITC-214-20060724-00363, held by i-wireless, LLC (i-wireless), from joint owners Genie Global Inc. (Genie) and The Kroger Co (Kroger), to Sprint Corporation (Sprint). Pursuant to the terms of a formation agreement dated April 29, 2016, applicants propose to combine their resources in a wireless services partnership to accomplish a modernized Lifeline program. Upon closing, Sprint will acquire 70 percent of the indirect interests in i-wireless, and control of the international service operations of i-wireless. The remaining 30 percent interest in i-wireless will continue to be held in equal shares by Genie and Kroger, through a newly formed holding company.

The following individuals or entities hold 10 percent or greater direct and indirect ownership interests in Sprint: Direct - Starburst I, Inc. (Starburst I), a U.S. entity (77.5 percent equity in Sprint). Indirect - SoftBank Group Corp. (SoftBank Group), a Japanese corporation that holds 100 percent ownership in Starburst I (83.4 percent equity in Sprint); Masayoshi Son, a Japanese citizen holding 23.1 percent ownership in SoftBank Group (19.3 percent indirect equity interest in Sprint).

This authorization is without prejudice to the Commission's action in any other related pending proceedings.

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**INFORMATIVE****ITC-214-19990824-00529**

Farmers Telecommunications Corporation

By letter dated June 3, 2016, Applicant notified the Commission that Farmers Telecommunications Corporation will be discontinuing certain voice services in portions of Jackson and Marshall counties in northeastern Alabama on or around August 31, 2016.

**SURRENDER**

**ITC-214-19981023-00745**

MTS COMMUNICATIONS INC.

Applicant notified the Commission of the Surrender of its international section 214 authorization effective May 31, 2016.

## CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO INTERNATIONAL SECTION 214 AUTHORIZATIONS

- (1) These authorizations are subject to the Exclusion List for International Section 214 Authorizations, which identifies restrictions on providing service to particular countries or using particular facilities. The most recent Exclusion List is at the end of this Public Notice. The list applies to all U.S. international carriers, including those that have previously received global or limited global Section 214 authority, whether by Public Notice or specific written order. Carriers are advised that the attached Exclusion List is subject to amendment at any time pursuant to the procedures set forth in Streamlining the International Section 214 Authorization Process and Tariff Requirements, IB Docket No. 95-118, 11 FCC Rcd 12884 (1996), para. 18. A copy of the current Exclusion List will be maintained in the FCC Reference and Information Center and will be available at <http://transition.fcc.gov/ib/pd/pf/exclusionlist.html>. It also will be attached to each Public Notice that grants international Section 214 authority.
- (2) The export of telecommunications services and related payments to countries that are subject to economic sanctions may be restricted. For information concerning current restrictions, call the Office of Foreign Assets Control, U.S. Department of the Treasury, (202) 622-2520.
- (3) Carriers shall comply with the requirements of Section 63.11 of the Commission's rules, which requires notification by, and in certain circumstances prior notification by, U.S. carriers acquiring an affiliation with foreign carriers. A carrier that acquires an affiliation with a foreign carrier will be subject to possible reclassification as a dominant carrier on an affiliated route pursuant to the provisions of Section 63.10 of the rules.
- (4) A carrier may provide switched services over its authorized resold private lines in the circumstances specified in Section 63.23(d) of the rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.23(d).
- (5) Carriers shall comply with the "No Special Concessions" rule, Section 63.14, 47 C.F.R. § 63.14.
- (6) Carriers regulated as dominant for the provision of a particular communications service on a particular route for any reason other than a foreign carrier affiliation under Section 63.10 of the rules shall file tariffs pursuant to Section 203 of the Communications Act, as amended, 47 U.S.C. § 203, and Part 61 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. Part 61. Carriers shall not otherwise file tariffs except as permitted by Section 61.19 of the rules, 47 C.F.R. § 61.19. Except as specified in Section 20.15 with respect to commercial mobile radio service providers, carriers regulated as non-dominant, as defined in Section 61.3, and providing detariffed international services pursuant to Section 61.19, must comply with all applicable public disclosure and maintenance of information requirements in Sections 42.10 and 42.11.
- (7) Carriers shall file the annual traffic and revenue reports required by Section 43.62(b). See <http://www.fcc.gov/encyclopedia/international-traffic-and-revenue-report>.
- (8) Carriers shall file annual circuit capacity reports required by Section 43.62(a). See <http://www.fcc.gov/encyclopedia/circuit-capacity-report>.
- (9) Carriers should consult Section 63.19 of the rules when contemplating a discontinuance, reduction or impairment of service.
- (10) If any carrier is reselling service obtained pursuant to a contract with another carrier, the services obtained by contract shall be made generally available by the underlying carrier to similarly situated customers at the same terms, conditions and rates. 47 U.S.C. § 203.
- (11) To the extent the applicant is, or is affiliated with, an incumbent independent local exchange carrier, as those terms are defined in Section 64.1902 of the rules, it shall provide the authorized services in compliance with the requirements of Section 64.1903.
- (12) Except as otherwise ordered by the Commission, a carrier authorized here to provide facilities-based service that (i) is classified as dominant under Section 63.10 of the rules for the provision of such service on a particular route and (ii) is affiliated with a carrier that collects settlement payments for terminating U.S. international switched traffic at the foreign end of that route may not provide facilities-based switched service on that route unless the current rates the affiliate charges U.S. international carriers to terminate traffic are at or below the Commission's relevant benchmark adopted in International Settlement Rates, IB Docket No. 96-261, Report and Order, 12 FCC Rcd 19806 (1997). See also Report and Order on Reconsideration and Order Lifting Stay in IB Docket No. 96-261, FCC 99-124 (rel. June 11, 1999). For the purposes of this rule, "affiliated" and "foreign carrier" are defined in Section 63.09.

(13) Carriers shall comply with the Communications Assistance for Law Enforcement Act (CALEA), see 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.20000 et seq.

(14) Every carrier must designate an agent for service in the District of Columbia. See 47 U.S.C. § 413, 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.47(h), 64.1195.

#### Exclusion List for International Section 214 Authorizations

The following is a list of countries and facilities not covered by grant of global Section 214 authority under Section 63.18(e)(1) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e)(1). Carriers desiring to serve countries or use facilities listed as excluded hereon shall file a separate Section 214 application pursuant to Section 63.18(e)(3) of the Commission's Rules. See 47 C.F.R. § 63.22(c).

Countries:

None.

Facilities:

Any non-U.S.-licensed space station that has not received Commission approval to operate in the U.S. market pursuant to the procedures adopted in the Commission's DISCO II Order, IB Docket No. 96-111, Report and Order, FCC 97-399, 12 FCC Rcd 24094, 24107-72 paragraphs 30-182 (1997) (DISCO II Order). Information regarding non-U.S.-licensed space stations approved to operate in the U.S. market pursuant to the Commission's DISCO II procedures is maintained at [http://transition.fcc.gov/bureaus/ib/sd/se/market\\_access.html](http://transition.fcc.gov/bureaus/ib/sd/se/market_access.html).

This list is subject to change by the Commission when the public interest requires. The most current version of the list is maintained at <http://transition.fcc.gov/ib/pd/pf/exclusionlist.html>.

For additional information, contact the International Bureau's Telecommunications and Analysis Division, (202) 418-1480.